

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Neeman et al.**Application No.** 10/588,863**Filed:** October 23, 2007**Confirmation No.** 4074**For:** VENOUS FILTERS**Examiner:** Michael G. Mendoza**Art Unit:** 3734**Attorney Reference No.** 4239-83726-03**FILED VIA EFS
ON MARCH 18, 2010**FILED VIA EFS
COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION
TRANSMITTAL LETTER****This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the application referenced above.**

Submission required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

- ☒ Enclosed
- ☒ Power of Attorney by Assignee, Revocation of Prior Powers, and Change of Correspondence Address Accompanied by a Statement Under 37 C.F.R. 3.73(b)
- ☒ Amendment
- ☒ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)
- ☒ Form 1449 and references cited thereon

FILING FEE					
For	No. after amendment	No. paid for previously	Present Extra	Rate	Fee
Fee under 37 CFR 1.17(e)					\$810.00
Total Claims	18	- 27* =	0	\$52.00	\$0.00
Indep. Claims	3	- 3** =	0	\$220.00	\$0.00
Mult. Dep. Claims Fee (if not previously paid)				\$390.00	\$0.00
One-month Extension of Time				\$130.00	\$130.00
Two-month Extension of Time				\$490.00	\$0.00
Three-month Extension of Time				\$1110.00	\$0.00
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT					\$940.00

* greater of twenty or number for which fee has been paid.

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- ☒ Applicant petitions for an extension of time for the number of months indicated above. If an additional extension of time is required please consider this a petition therefor.

- ☒ Charge \$940.00 to Deposit Account No. 02-4550.
- ☒ Please charge any additional fees that may be required in connection with filing this RCE including any extension of time or excess page charges, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 02-4550.

Respectfully submitted,

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